CHARLEROI BUSINESS MEN'S PICNIC, ELDORA PARK, WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 17---OX ROAST.

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FAT OX ROASTING FOR BIG BARBACUE AT ELDORA

Great Attendance Indicated for Outing Tomorrow.

FREE LUNCH AT NOON

Multitude Will be Fed With Beef Sandwiches, Coffee and Pickles.

With a fat 1,200 pound ox, slaughtered at the abtatoir of Councilman Charles Schmeiler, in the hands of the professional roasters, all is in readiness for the big picnic and outing of the Charleroi Business Men's Associations at Eldora Park tomorrow. The stores generally and many other business places will be closed for the day, and as the weather man has promised good weather for the occasion every indication points to a tremendous crowd, not only from Charleroi but from other town along the valley to whom an invitation has been extended to come and partake of the hospitality of the business people of the Magic City.

Roast ox sandwiches, coffee and pickles will be served free to the multitude at noon. Wm. Critchfield a professional ox roaster arrived today from Hermine, Westmoreland county with helpers and will serve the carcas in the best of shape It will be carved by expert meat cutters and abundant help will be available to serve the crowd.

In addition to the park amusements a program of sports will be given in the afternoon, beginning at 1:30 o'clock promptly. Handsome prizes will be awarded the winners and the events, together with the prizes are as follows:

100 yard dash free for all—Prize, handsome silver cup.

Girls' race 50 yards for girls under 14 years—First prize $1.00 second prize 50c.

Boys' race 50 yards for boys under 14 years—First prize $1.00 second prize 50c.

Business Men's Race—One entry allowed from among the business men of the valley towns. Prize—Gold medal.

Tog of War for a handsome silver cup—To be contested for by two teams consisting of six men from the Business Men's Associations of Monessen and Charleroi. Cup must be won twice to become the property of the winners.

Entries for the events must be left at the booker's stand on the ground not later than 12 o'clock noon on day of picnic.

The Pittsburg Railways company has promised cars enough to accommodate the crowds and no one need stay away on that account. A cordial invitation is extended to all to come and enjoy the hospitality of the occasion and to participate in a day of merry making.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

The 1910 taxes are now payable. A rebate of 5 per cent will be given during August and September. After those months face value will be collected until February 1, 1911, after which 5 per cent will be added. Office in First National Bank building. 6t5 J W Mathias, Collector.

Emil Lovesel and family of Southside, Pittsburg, were guests of Mr and Mrs. Theo. Eltner Sunday and Monday.

McKees Rocks Accepts Monessen's Challenge

Volunteer Fire Companies to Try Conclusions in a Water Battle.

J. C. Nealen, president of the McKees Rocks volunteer fire department has accepted the challenge of the Monessen fire department for a "water battle" on a date to be set. He will post a forfeit of any amount and agrees to have the battle either in Monessen or McKees Rocks. Monessen's challenge was issued Friday in Carnegie, when the volunteer firemen were holding their convention.

POLICE TO ENFORCE AUTO LAWS

Joy Riders Here Will Not be Given Latitude Heretofore Tolerated.

MUST EXERCISE MORE CARE

In connection with the action of council in ordering danger signs to be posted in congested positions of the borough, Chief of Police C. W. Albright has decided to strictly enforce the State laws governing the regulations and speed limits of automobiles. So many infringements of these regulations are made every day in the community that good luck rather than careful management has prevented many serious accidents.

One of the most important regulations that Chief Albright proposes to strictly enforce is the one compelling auto drivers to pass on the opposite side of the streets when passengers are alighting from trolley cars. Heretofore, it has been the practice for many drivers to run their cars among people getting on and off street cars, compelling the pedestrians to get out of the way. Hereafter any auto driver violating this regulation in Charleroi will be promptly arrested.

Another flagrant violation is the absence of lights and license tags on both ends of the autos. Many machines are driven on the streets nightly with but perhaps one lamp in front lighted and no rear light. Some of the cars have a license tag on the front or rear, but not in both places. The law requires all machines to appear with two lights in front and one in the rear an hour after sundown, or when the street lights are turned on. The absence of the lights is one of the sources of great danger.

"We also propose to enforce the speed limit law," said Chief Albright. "We have a speeder on the police auto patrol, and are able to judge pretty accurately whether or not the speed limit is being violated. Numerous complaints are being constantly made about reckless driving on the streets, and in the interests of public safety, we propose to strictly enforce the laws from this time hence."

As the laws regulating the speed and equipment of machines are State laws, a justice has no option but to impose the penalty when violations are proven.

When Col. Alfy Stewart Says Play Ball! the Fur Will Fly

Elks and Eagles Eager for the Hospital Benefit Game at the Park at 5:30 This Evening.

Notwithstanding their prestige of previous victory, the Elks will have to go some if they defeat the Eagles in the benefit baseball game to be played at the local park this evening in aid of the Monessen-Charleroi hospital. "Honey" Wagner, manager of the Eagles, has his lineup well in hand, and the whole bunch is out for blood. The game will be called at 5:30, and it will be aggressive from the word "play ball" from Col. A. P. Stewart, the umpire.

Arrangements have been completed for the big auto parade at 5 o'clock this evening, preceding the game The parade will be headed by a band, which will render popular concerts during the game. A big lot of tickets have been sold, and the attendance promises to be large.

FRYE REUNION IS SCHEDULED

Descendents of This Prominent Family Will Meet Sept. 3 at Eldora.

A prospective event of much local interest in the tenth annual reunion of the descendants of Benjamin and Christen Frye, which will be held at Eldora Park Saturday, September 3. The reunion of this prominent family for which an organization has been effected, has been a regular event for the past nine years, and each succeeding meeting has grown in interest. Charles O. Frye of Charleroi is president of the association and Mrs John S. Van Voorhis is secretary. Much important family history has been gathered, and this is being added to each year. Committees for the forthcoming event have been appointed as follows:

Table Committee—Mrs. Jehu Cooper, Mrs. Geo. C. Boggs, Miss Tina Furcier, Mrs. James Evans, Mrs. V. D. Shannon, Mrs. Frank Jones, Mrs. Simon Wilson, Mrs. Samuel Nelson, Mrs. S. J. Richardson, Mrs. John Shanton, Mrs. Christen Hill, Mrs. Isaac Carson.

Enterainment Committee—Mrs. Ira J. Duvall, Miss Price G. Frye, Leslie Frye, Lawrence B. Frye, C. K. Frye, Frank Jones, Lynn Cooper, Miss Nannetta Shannon, Miss Nan Cooper, Miss Carson.

MUST PAY 'PHONE BILLS MONTHLY

Bell Company Will Abolish Quarterly Payments After Sept. 1.

Beginning September 1, the Bell Telephone company will inaugurate a new and improved method of billing its accounts, and has sent notice to patrons to apprise them of the change.

All bills will be rendered by mail direct from Pittsburg office on the first day of each month, and will be payable, either by check or by person at the local office indicated on each bill. Rentals will be billed monthly in advance, in place of quarterly in advarce as heretofore.

Charges for toll service will be included upon the monthly bill and will cover toll service furnished up to the 20th of the preceding month. A memorandum showing the points connected, the number of messages and the charges, arranged by days, will accompany each bill upon which appears an item for toll service, and in cases where further information is desired, it may be obtained from the local offices upon request.

It is believed that this improved billing routine will result in a number of very apparent advantages to subscribers and will meet with their general approval.

Wanted

Lady bookkeeper. Apply Peoples Store, 536 Fallowfield avenue, Charleroi, Pa. 5t2

Miss Mildred Lynch and Miss Jennie Snowden of Elizabeth are visiting at the home of their uncle, John Jenkins, Esq , of Fallowfield avenue.

FINDS DEARTH IN SCHOOL MA'AMS

Not Enough Instructors in County to Supply all the Districts.

Vacancies in schools of Washington county are becoming serious. With the opening session but a few days distant, several schools are still without teachers and none available seem to be in sight.

County Superintendent Crumrine has received urgent letters from various boards of directors asking him to recommend suitable teachers. Prof. Crumrine has also received a communication from Oakdale, Allegheny county asking him to recommend a principal for the Oakdale school. The Allegheny county district has been unable to secure a man and is worried over the outcome with the opening of school so close upon them. The position pays $1,000 for a term of nine months.

Two vacancies still exist in West Bethlehem township. One at the Nichol school and the other in the advanced grade of the Scenery Hill positon pays $60 per month.

Despite the fact that over 300 of the 482 applicants for teachers' provisional certificates have been successful, the greatly increased number of schools makes even this large number inadequate and puts several boards of directors in a quandry as to where they will secure teachers.

HAS BENCH WARRANT TO FETCH WARD

Detective McCleary Awaits Governor's Requisition at Asbury Park.

Late yesterday afternoon Detective William McCleary with a bench warrant from this county for Frederick W. Ward reached Asbury Park N. J., where Ward is held in the city jail following his arrest Sunday afternoon as a fugitive from justice.

Leaving Pittsburg at 3 o'clock yesterday morning the county detective went direct to Harrisburg, where he left his requisition papers for the signature of Governor Stuart and hurried on to the New Jersey seaside resort to show his bench warrant and hold the convicted real estate promoter until the arrival of the warrant from the Governor of New Jersey, giving him power to bring the prisoner back to Washington county.

It is believed the formalities connected with the signing of the necessary documents will be completed within a short time and the county detective and his prisoner be on their way back to Washington within the next few days.

Club Meets Thursday

The ladies' 500 club, which has been holding its meetings on Fridays will meet Thursday of this week instead of the usual date. The meeting will be held at the Elks' club house.

Notice

A cow strayed on my farm on the Monongahela road. Party owning same will please call and take charge or she will be disposed of according to law. Peter McCarty. 6t2p

WANTED—Quiet boarding place. Address 346 Mail office. 6t2

TRAVELING MEN SAY TENER'S CANDIDACY IS MOST POPULAR

Present Indications Point to His Election by Increased Majority.

CONCEDED BY OPPOSITION

Prohibition Canvass Shows Charleroi Man to be Easy Winner.

Although the Republican campaign will not formally open until Saturday, September 3, when Congressman John K. Tener will begin his Gubernatorial campaign with a big rally in Charleroi, much interest is being manifested throughout the State. This is evidenced by the reports brought in by traveling men, who are in a position to feel the public pulse and to more accurately size up the situation by reason of their close association with the business interests of the State.

"In this State the Republican party will win without a contest," said a prominent commercial representative yesterday, whose route takes him all over the State. "That is, there will be the usual campaign, but the Republicans will roll up the same large majorities. There isn't anything to it. Should the majorities fall off slightly, it will be because the voters take it for granted that everything is one-sided, and say to themselves, 'What's the use?' and remain away from the polls."

A prominent Prohibitionist who has had been associated with the State organization of that party admitted to a Charleroi man a few days ago that Tener was sure to be elected. He stated that he had made a careful canvass of all the counties of the State in the interests of the Prohibition ticket, but could discover no defections from the Republican party. In the contrary he stated, Mr. Tener's candidacy was arousing a degree of enthusiasm that augured badly for any encouragement for the opposition.

Inquiry among the traveling men also elicits the information that Berry, the Keystone candidate, will not cut any considerable figure in the campaign. Four years ago, when the Democrats and the Lincoln Republicans effected a fusion and nominated Lewis Emery, a Republican, they did not come anywhere near winning out, the general belief is that with the Republican a party more united and freer from attack than it has been at any time during the past fifty years, and the opposition divide, the efforts of the Keystone movement will not make a ripple in the campaign.

High School Alumni to Gambol on the Green

Members Decide to Hold Basket Picnic at Eldora Next Thursday.

The picnic of the Alumni Association of the Charleroi High school will be held at Eldora Park on Thursday afternoon and evening of this week. Notice to this effect have been mailed to all members of the association outside of Charleroi but no notice will be mailed to members here. All members of the Association with their families are expected to attend and are requested to bring well filled baskets.

TELLS HOW TO PROTECT ORCHARDS

State Inspector in Community Giving Talks and Demonstrations.

SHOWS INSECTS AND PESTS

Cryus T. Fox, State orchard inspector, is in this vicinity, inpecting orchard and giving instruction as to the proper care of fruit trees and also the fighting of insects which are injurious to the trees and fruits. This forenoon Mr. Fox inspected the orchards of John G. Sampson, one mile from Eldora on the Charleroi trolley and three miles southeast of Monongahela and Isaac S. Sprowls one mile from Lockview on the Charleroi trolley.

This afternoon he is inspecting the orchards of John H. Gregg, one mile from Roscoe terminus of Charleroi trolley. He will spend the night with the Dorsey brothers, fruit growers, two miles west of West Brownsville and will lecture in the orchard there at 8 o'clock tomorrow morning.

After a general talk on fruit culture at the farm of I. J. W. Cleveland of Beallsville Inspector Fox will depart for Allegheny county to continue his lecturing tour. A number of farmers and others interested in fruit culture are attending the lectures and demontrations in this community.

Committee Meets This Evening

The reception committee of the Business Men's Picnic will hold a meeting this evening at 7 o'clock at the rooms of the association in the Kirk and Clark building. All members of the committee are requested to be present.

Rev. W D. Fries, Chairman.

Ladies Aid Picnic Today

The Hebrew Ladies' Aid of the valley are holding a picnic at Eldora Park today. Delegations are present from all of the towns along the valley and with special attractions in addition to the park amusements, all are having a pleasant outing.

HOT DAYS INDUCE PACKET TRAVEL

Passenger and freight traffic for the upper Monongahela is good and the packets I. C. Woodward and Bessie Smith appear to have all they can do to handle it. Live stock such as horses and mules have been much in evidence recently in the upper river shipments, many of them being for use in the mines.

The Packet Bessie Smith was out on Sunday with her "upper outing" which has become very popular among city people who have no other way to enjoy the comforts of an outing on the water. These trips are usually made as far as Charleroi or California, returning early in the evening. They will be continued as long as the weather conditions are favorable.

J. K. Tener, Pres. S. A. Walton, Vice Pres. R. H. Rush, Cashier.

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Aug. 16 In American History.

1777—General Nicholas Herkimer, hero of the battle of Oriskany, died; born about 1715. Battle of Bennington, Vt.

1825—Charles Cotesworth Pinckney, American soldier and statesman, author of the immortal phrase, "Millions for defense, but not one cent for tribute," died in Charleston; born 1746.

1900—John James Ingalls, distinguished orator and ex-United States senator from Kansas, died; born 1833.

1903—Noah Brooks, well known author, died; born 1830.

1908—J. W. A. MacDonald, known as America's oldest sculptor, died at Yonkers, N. Y.; born 1824.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

(From noon today to noon tomorrow.) Sun sets 6:53, rises 5:08; moon sets 1:16 a. m. Halley's comet in constellation Leo, setting at 7:25 p. m.

The Picnic

With an ox-roast as an attraction, and a broader organization than heretofore, what has been known as the Merchants' Picnic in past years will be held tomorrow at Eldora Park under the title of the Business Men's Picnic. This should insure a much greater attendance than in the past and redouble the interest of this popular neighborly event.

While in past years the Merchants Picnic has been a most enjoyable event, all for whom it was intended did not enter into the spirit of the occasion. The primary object was for all the business people to take a day off suspend the cares of business, get acquainted with one another and acumulate fresh vigor and initiation by a day spent in the open. By widening the scope of the association more business interests are brought into closer relations with a corresponding county of interests. The opportunity is a splendid one for a day of enjoyment and cementng the bonds of good fellowship, and all who can should take advantage of the occasion

Enforce the Law

The decision of the local chief of police to strictly enforce the laws regulating the equipment, speed and conduct of automobile drivers should receive the support and commendation of all law abiding citizens. Without these regulations danger to life and limb is imminent on the streets at all times, and it was in the interest of public safety that the laws were enacted. Without them there would be no protection at all from reckless and careless driving.

When it is considered that an automobile is difficult to handle and is more complicated in ways than a locomotive steam engine, the wisdom of the regulations will be readily comprehended. No railroad company would permit a novice to run one of its engines, even though he has a clear track and less dangerous conditions than the average auto driver. Before a railroad engineer is entrusted to drive a locomotive he must serve a long apprenticeship as brakeman and fireman, be an expert in mechanics and thoroughly able to master every detail and meet every emergency that may arise in the mechanism of the machine with which he is entrusted. No engineer is ever sent out over a road alone without which he is familiar, and he must know every foot of the way, as well as observe numerous signals along the route.

On the other hand a novice, without the slightest knowledge of or experience in mechanics, may purchase an auto as ponderous almost, as a locomotive, and start to run in on crowded streets and dangerous highways. That there are not more fatalities seems to be due to the special interposition of Providence. As a matter of course regulation is necessary and those who uphold the officers in the enforcement of the law will be performing the best kind of public service.

Our Gum-Chewing Industry

Twenty-nine students and three professors of the University of Commerce, in Cologne, heartily welcome to our city, find the gum-chewing habit looming large among the wonders of America, says the New York World. We cannot be surprised at this, having been impressed ourselves by the omnipresent nickle-in-the slot gum machine, the inexhaustable sticks of chewing gum in jars and piles on candy store and drug store counters, the jaws almost unanimously in activity in subway jams, trolley car crushes and crowds at large.

Baseball players chew gum to keep off thirst, children and matinee girls chew it because it tastes sweet, many person chew in the belief that they are aiding their digestion, but most people chew because they have got the habit. Probably a final analysis would reveal an intimate connection between nerves and habitual gum chewing.

There have been attempts to establish gum in Europe. The results are as yet inconsiderable. However, the demand right here in the United States calls for the manufacture of 3,000,000,000 pieces of gum per year and gives prosperity to a very healthy eleven year-old trust. If one doctor says gum-chewing is harmless, another declares that it overworks the salivary glands But to the stranger within our gates the wonder of the busy jaws remain.

ELECTRIC SPARKS

Many a man enjoys a quiet smoke because of the brand of cigars he buys.

She—I thought you were well off before we were married.

He—I was, but I didn't know it.

Some men get most enjoyable vacations when their wives take theirs.

Texas is said to be the best State in the union for aviators, because it has 237 counties in which to fall.

St Peter, at the Golden Gate, to first applicant of a bunch of new arrivals—Well, what are your qualifications?

Applicant—I've been married.

St. Peter—Enter, and take a seat among the martyrs of the fourth degree.

Second appliant, who has overheard the conversation—Gracious Saint, I've been married twice.

St. Peter-Get out! This is a place for unfortunates. Fools are not admitted.

The children who are obliged to wait until the second table when the minister is invited to supper appreciate the beauty of the Scriptural injunction, "And the last shall be first."

Three small boys have demonstrated to Charleroi people that it is not necessary to own an auto to go joy riding.

Some people measure their vacation by the number of postcards they send out.

When a man wants a drink of whisky so badly that's he's willing to kill a man or two in order to get it, he should be committed at once to the Keeley cure.

SHOOTS AT ESCORT, WOUNDS A WOMAN

Negro Aims at White Man and Hits Woman Walking With Him.

Emery Rouss a negro miner of Venetia a mining town near Canonsburg Sunday night shot and seriously wounded Mrs. Anna Gilmore aged 40 years a white woman of Nottingham township Washington county. The shooting took place at Venetia.

The negro was arrested after a long chase and is now in jail and Mrs. Gilmore is in the hospital at Washington.

Thomas Rodgers a white man and a miner employed at Venetia and Mrs. Gilmore were walking along the street. The negro it is reported walked in back of Rodgers and said: "You might as well die now as any other time."

Rodgers turned and the negro drew a revolver and began to shoot. The third shot struck Mrs. Gilmore in the abdomen.

Rodgers tried to take the revolver away from the negro but was unable to do so. After wounding Mrs. Gilmore the negro fired three more shots at Rodgers but failed to hit him.

ECHINO PAYS COSTS IN POWDER CASE

Jury Lets Him Down Easy for Shipping Explosive in Suit Case

The August term of criminal court is now in session at the county seat. It was convened yesterday afternoon before Judge Taylor and as soon as jury was challenged in the first case called a case was taken up before Judge McIlvaine.

One of the first cases called yesterday was that of the Commonwealth against William Snyder and Steve Echino who were charged with shipping explosives by express to Charleroi. It appears that Echino agreed to take some powder for Snyder from Manor station to Charleroi. Echino placed it in a suit case and shipped it by express. The suit case leaked out some of the powder and it was opened and the explosive found. By agreement the jury as instructed to return a verdict of not guilty but place the costs on Echino who agreed to the proposition

GAVE 33 YEARS TO ONE COMPANY

Charleroi Man Serves That Length of Time as Department Foreman.

After serving continuously for 33 years in the employ of the Hussy-Binns Shovel company, George Bailey, proprietor of the Casino bowling alleys on McKean avenue, severed his connection with that firm on Monday, which marked the anniversary of his first employment. During his entire service Mr. Bailey filled the position of foreman of the polishing department. Thirteen of the 33 years were spent with the firm in Pittsburg, and when the plant was moved to Charleroi 20 years ago Mr. Bailey came with it, and continued in the same responsible position. Some time ago he acquired the Casino pool rooms, which were later transformed into bowling alleys. Desiring to devote his entire attention to this business Mr. Bailey decided to retire from the factory, and severed his connection on the 33rd anniversary of his employment.

When You "See Stars."

The man who when struck violently on the head says he "saw stars" is not far from telling the truth. The fact is that there is a phosphorescent power in the eye which does not attract a person's attention under ordinary conditions, but which is distributed and reveals itself whenever the head gets a sudden shock and sometimes even in the act of sneezing. A blow on the head results in a pressure of the blood vessels upon the retina, causing either total darkness or a faint blue light which floats before the eyes, and it is in this faint blue light the imagination discerns the thousands of fantastic forms and figures that by general acceptance are termed stars; hence, while the astronomical display so frequently mentioned may be said to be entirely a creature of the imagination, there is at least some foundation for the idea. The true nature of the sensation is never very apparent, even to the victim, for the simple reason that it is invariably experienced under circumstances which render a searching introspective investigation out of the question.

A CHEERFUL OUTLOOK.

Making It Pleasant For the Studious Traveler.

An English tourist travelling on foot through one of our mountainous regions, studying the people, asked a man whom he met to direct him to a certain cabin at which he had been advised to stay overnight. "Going thar?" said the man. "Well, Tom's a first rater, take him just right, but he's mighty queer."

"What do you mean?" asked the traveler.

"Well, it's like this," and the man looked at the stranger in a calm, impersonal way. "He'll be setting outside, most probably, and he'll see you coming. He'll take a good look at you and ef you don't suit him he may set the dog on you

"If he don't and you get to talking with him and say anything he don't just like he may throw you down and tromp on you But ef you're too careful in your talk, on the other hand he's liable to take you for a spy and use his gun first and listen to explanations afterwards

"But it's no use trying to get by without stopping," concluded the man, with evident relish of the prospect he was opening up to the stranger. "Ef you was to undertake that 'twould be all up with you, for he'd think you was proud and biggetty.

"Ef you want to come out of the mountain whole, don't go past Tom's cabin without stopping, whatever you do!"—Youth's Companion.

WANTED NO LAWYER.

It Was a Simple Matter to Satisfy the Accused.

"Jed Blake, the bar," ordered the judge in a rural Alabama court.

A big, hulking negro ambled up to be arraigned for murder.

"Jed," began the judge, "you are charged with the gravest crime known to the law, that of taking the life of a fellow man. One of the forms of punishment for murder is death. Have you made any arrangements for your defense in this case, Jed?"

"No, suh jedge. I ain' done nuthin'."

"Have you a lawyer, Jed?"

"No, suh, jedge. I ain' got no lawyer. I ain' got nuthin', jedge."

"Well, Jed," said the judge, showing a little impatience, "have you talked to anybody about this case?"

"I talked to de sheriff some dat night when he come after me, jedge, but you knows dat didn't do no good."

"For your information, Jed, I will state that it is within the province of this court to appoint counsel to any defendant who has none. I am now ready to appoint you a lawyer Do you want one?"

"No, jedge. I don't want nuthin'," replied Jed rather dolefully.

"See here," snapped the judge, "I won't have any more of this foolishness. You say you don't want any lawyer. Well, then, what do you intend to do about this case?"

"Well, I tells you, jedge, I ain' 'tendin' to do nuthin'. Ef it's jes' de same to you, jedge, as far as I's concerned I's willin' to let do whole matter drap right here."—Everybody's

THE MONEY QUESTION.

An Inquisitive Youngster and an Ingenious Father.

"Papa," began Gunston junior, "when the government of the United States began to coin gold and silver money it was necessary to buy the gold and silver, wasn't it?"

"Yes, my son," replied Gunston senior rather cautiously.

"Of course, papa," resumed the youngster, "you'll be able to tell me where the government got the money to buy the gold and silver."

"Why—er—of course," stammered Gunston senior as he put down the paper and gazed thoughtfully at the boy "Now, let me understand you. The government wanted to coin money, and in order to do so it was necessary to purchase gold and silver. You want to know where the government got the money to buy the gold and silver?"

"That's right," chuckled Gunston junior gleefully, and a great joy filled his being as he thought of his all important sire struggling with the simple question.

"Why, sonny, the government simply issued dollar bills and bought gold and silver with them. Anything else?"

"Yes," said Gunston junior. "Where did the government get money to buy paper for the dollar bills?"—Harper's Weekly.

An Ugly Looking Lizard.

Among the lizards of Australia the "thorny devil" (Moloch horridus) is unrivaled in its ugliness. From the tip of its nose to the end of its tail this lizard is covered with tubercles and spines, but in spite of its dangerous appearance it is quite harmless It measures about seven inches in length. It has a flat body a small head and a cylindrical tail It frequents sandy places, feeds largely on ants and is more or less diurnal in habits. Its powerful limbs are furnished with strong claws, which it uses in digging the sand, in which it often lies wholly or partially buried.

Defined.

"What is the difference between firmness and obstinacy?" asked a young lady of her fiance.

"Firmness," was his gallant reply "is a noble characteristic of women obstinacy is a lamentable defect in men!"

Her Eyes Opened.

Scribbler — She isn't writing any more articles on how to manage a husband. Scrawler—No; she knows better now. She's married.—Philadelphia Record.

ORIENTAL SERVANTS.

All Around Ability of the Indispensable "Boy" In India.

In these days of loud wailing about the haughty domestic, exorbitant wages and small returns it is soothing to recall the efficiency and submissive service of the oriental servant

In India the indispensable "boy" does everything—"boy" being a generic name regardless of age or native dignity—receiving in remuneration the equivalent of $12 to $14 a month at the most. He buys your railroad tickets, checks your luggage, settles the clamors of luggage coolies, gives your tips and shoos away the hordes of beggars, telegraphs to hotels for your rooms and takes care of them when you get there, makes the bed, brings the afternoon tea, stands behind your chair at table and serves you, brings your account when you leave and wrangles for you over its inevitable extortions.

At the dak bungalows he forages for your meals and, if necessary, cooks them. He produces washmen, sewing men and all sorts of dealers in everything on demand. He makes up your bed on sleeping cars and replenishes your supply of ice and soda. He runs your errands, cleans your boots and hats, darns your stockings and mends your clothes.

When you walk abroad, he attends you and directs you to the bazaars where you will be robbed least, receiving his commission later from an appreciative proprietor.

For every rupee intrusted to him for general expenditure he renders an account, and though he doubtless robs you gently he does not let others do it (and it is distinctly advantageous to be robbed by one person rather than a score).

He is silent and noiseless, salaams whenever you speak to him and never enters your presence with his shoes on or his turban off.

And dually, his multifarious day ended, he wraps himself in his shawl and sleeps across your threshold.—New York Tribune.

UNCONSCIOUS WORRY.

Born of the Habit of Taking Things Too Seriously.

A great many people worry unconsciously, says O. S. Marden in Success Magazine. They don't understand why they are so tired in the morning, why their sleep was so disturbed and troubled.

This mental disturbance is often caused by the habit of taking things too seriously, carrying too great a weight of responsibility. Everywhere we see people who take life too seriously. Most of us are like the motor man who not only starts and stops the car and tries to keep from running over people, but also feels tremendous anxiety and responsibility about the motive power.

One of the most helpful lessons life can impart is that which shows us how to do our work as well as it can be done and then let principle take care of the result. How often have we been amazed to find things come out much better than we anticipated; to find that the great unseen power that governs our lives through a wilderness of trial and tribulation into the open has guided our life ship through the fogs of difficulties and of sorrow, through storms of hardships and losses, safely into port.

The pilot does not lose heart when he cannot see his way. He turns to that mysterious compass which sees as plainly in the fog and guides as faithfully in the tempests as when the sea is like glass. We are in touch with a power greater than any compass, greater than any pilot, a power that can extricate us from the most desperate situation.

TUNING A PIANO.

A Professional's Experience With Irritable Von Bulow.

"Piano tuners are for the most part graduated from piano factories," says one of them. "While the piano tuner is required to know every part in the makeup of a piano, he is not necessarily a piano repairer. Nor can the average piano maker or repairer tune a piano. There are hundreds of expert makers and repairers of pianos who wouldn't be able to tell one tune from another.

"The piano tuner is born, not made. His acute sense of the vibrations of sound is given to him at his birth, and the man who hasn't got this sense can't become a piano tuner.

"Quite a number of years ago, when Hans von Bulow was in America, I tuned the piano upon which he played. He wouldn't allow the instrument to be tuned in the wareroom, one of his whims being that even a short removal of a piano knocks it all out of tune—something in that theory at that. So I tuned it upon the platform upon which he was to perform. He stood over me all the time, letting out agonized whoops and German cuss words until I couldn't help but laugh in his face.

"Finally, when I had the piano almost tuned, he gave a few more shrieks and, grabbing the wrench, began doing the job all over again. I let him go ahead, and inside of three minutes he had the piano so hopelessly out of tune that it took me three hours to get it into shape again. Herr von Bulow had to pay double for this little exhibition of temper."—Spokane Sportsman Review.

Answered.

Borleigh—Ha, ha, old man! Nailing down a carpet, are you? Jones (who has just struck his thumb)—No, you fool! The carpet was here all the time I'm just putting the floor under it!—Chicago News.

YOUR KIDNEYS NEED CLEANING

Every Person, Healthy or Unhealthy, Ought to Give the Kidneys a Thorough Cleaning Right Now

You clean your teeth daily. You wouldn't think of doing otherwise and yet the teeth are not one-tenth so important to health, strength and a long life as the kidneys

Do you know that the kidneys are little strainers or fine sieves, through which every drop of blood in the body passes again and again?

Do you know that when the blood passes through the kidneys these little sieves strain all the impure matter from the blood and pass it out of the body by way of the bladder?

Well, all this is so, as any physician will tell you, and this being the case, doesn't it stand to reason that these little strainers in the kidneys become clogged with impurities?

And when the kidneys become clogged they are unable to strain the impure matter from the blood, and it stays in the blood and causes diseases in various parts of the body. Take rheumatism for instance, this terrible disease is caused by uric acid in the blood and uric acid gets into the blood only when the kidneys are clogged up and are unable to properly strain the impurities.

An ounce of prevention is worth a ton of cure when the kidneys are concerned. It's almost as easy to clean out clogged kidneys as to clean your teeth.

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F. P. McCloskey returned today from Punxsutawney which place he visited over Sunday.

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Notice is hereby given that application will be made by J. W. Schnider, S. G. Fulton and Charles Wonsettler to the Governor of Pennsylvania on Monday, Sept. 12, 1910, under the Act of Assembly approved April 29, 1874, P. L. 73, entitled "An Act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," and its supplements, for a charter for a proposed corporation to be called "Marianna and Scenery Hill Telephone Company," the character and object of which is the construction, maintaining and operation of telephone and telegraph lines, buying and leasing the same, for the private use of individuals, firms, corporations; the operation of telephone exchanges and the furnishing of facilities for communication by means of the transmission of electricity over or through wires, and doing a general telephone and telegraph business by such means; and for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges of said Act of Assembly and supplements thereto.

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JAY GOULD'S LAST STAND ON BRYAN ROCK

Candidate Bryan Wants Nebraska's Decaying Statesman to Come to Pennsylvania

Berry is Eager For Enthusiasm While His Colleague of Wide Experience and Many Defeats Insists Upon Getting Votes.

The Keystone party in Pennsylvania is threatened with destruction on the rocks of Bryanism. The Keystone party, it must be understood, is composed of a little band of "holier than thou" patriots who are out for any old office they may get. W. H. Berry who borrowed money from Colonel J. M. Guffey when the colonel was in affluence and deserted him without returning the cash when he was in financial distress, is the fantastic and sometimes furious head of the Keystone aggregation. D. Clarence Gibbony, who has the record for office hunting in Philadelphia and who enjoys the distinction of having been defeated oftener than any other man in the Keystone State, is the chief cook and bottle washer on the Keystone party's craft. The other members of the crew either are unknown or are in hiding lest their identity might alarm any stray passengers otherwise willing to go to sea with them. William Jennings Bryan has indicated his desire to come into Pennsylvania to help out his friend and advocate, Mr. Berry, and strange to say, Mr. Berry is anxious to have Mr. Bryan come here. Mr. Gibbony wants any and all help the Bryan sentiment might give him, but he refuses absolutely to agree to the coming of Bryan in person and upon that contention the Keystone party's candidates for Governor and Lieutenant Governor respectively have split and apparently split for good. Mr. Berry is not so much of a politician as is Gibbony. Mr. Berry has theories in abundance. He constantly carries an overload of isms and freak ideas about the country's ailments and he is sublimely confident that he personality is the only healthy feature in the country's development. He is determined to destroy everything not fashioned after himself and he believes that Mr. Bryan could aid materially in his plan of destruction. Gibbony would prefer an office to a surgical operation which might eliminate everything and everybody but Berry. Berry contends that Bryan would stir up some real enthusiasm for the Keystone party and its candidates. Gibbony accepts this contention but insists that while Bryan has a distinct patent on the creation of enthusiasm he is not much of a vote getter and Gibbony prefers the votes. It is known that Gibbony hesitates about accepting a seat upon the Keystone party's band wagon. He is not much of a sentimentalist. He has had large experience and he knows, just as well as any man in the State that large gobs of money are necessary for campaigns and until the money was raised and shown to him he balked at the second place on the ticket. The display of the cash and the acceptance of his nomination were accomplished at one and the same time. Berry of course, refused to consider that a corruption fund would be necessary with him at the head of the ticket, but Gibbony, having had wide experience, refused to see politics from that egotistical view point. Of course there was some difficulty in digging up a financial angel, but one was dug up and Gibbony took his place in line for another defeat. In justice to Gibbony it should be said that he is going to the slaughter with slow and reluctant feet. In fact he is so slow and reluctant that he will have none of Bryan personally in his campaign and the decaying statesman from Nebraska must be told sooner or later to keep off the Keystone party grass in Pennsylvania. This of course will be heart breaking to both Bryan and Berry but Gibbony is holding both purse strings in this little enterprise of the "better than all others" and he is making the rules for the first trip of the Keystone party's craft through the fog of selfish ambitions.

Mr. Berry has not manifested any disposition to conceal his admiration for Mr. Bryan. In fact Mr. Berry is proud of Bryan and the Bryan theories. Since his desertion of Colonel Guffey, who was decidedly useful when he had vast wealth, Mr Berry has insisted upon being regarded as the Bryan leader in Pennsylvania. He may yet attack the discipline of the Keystone party just as he has in the past assaulted discipline in the Democratic and Prohibition parties and bring Mr. Bryan into the fight in the State regardless of the wishes of his new party associates but if he does Gibbony is absolutely certain to shut off the cash and only make the disaster greater. Bryan and his ghosts are certainly troublesome in politics these days.

The Alert Man.

"Calmness is a fine trait," said Mr. Blithly, "but does it always get there? You take the case of two men standing up in a car holding on to straps, both the same age, but one of them quiet and the other quick, and now let the man they are standing in front of get up to leave the car at a station, and suppose these two men are both at exactly the same distance from the seat, each with the same chance as the other for seizing it, which would get that seat? Would it be the calm, cool man who moved deliberately and always with some thought for others, or would it be the ever alert man, quick to move and always on the lookout, not caring a continental for what anybody thinks and always ready to jump in any seat he can nab? Why, while the calm man is thinking it over about what he shall do and beginning to turn that way the alert man is in the seat. I certainly do admire the calm, tranquil man and his good manners, but it is the man ever on the alert that gets the seat in the car—and other things."—New York Sun.

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LOCAL MENTION

Interesting News Items Condensed for Busy Readers.

H. B. Staver was a Pittsburg visitor over Sunday.

Mrs. Leslie Campbell spent Sunday with Monongahela friends.

H. H. Schwilar of Smithport is in town today looking up business interests.

Mrs. J. W. Mathias and son Jack are visiting friends at New Kensington.

Misses Maude and Jessie Spidel have returned from a sojourn of several weeks at Bedford.

Miss Norma Bosson who was visiting with relations at Woodsfield, Ohio has returned home.

Theo. Elstner, and family returned from a two weeks' outing at Astabula harbor last week.

C. F. Thompson has returned from a pleasure trip to Duluth and other points along the great lakes.

Oscar Carson of J. H. Bowers hardware store spent Sunday at the farm of his parents at Lover.

J. D. Berryman was an interested specatator of the State Exhibition of spraying on the Sprowl farm today.

consist of a visit in Pittsburg and vicinity and thence to Buffalo and Niagara Falls and other points of interest in New York State.

D. A. Smith, the genial assistant clerk at the Wilbur Hotel, started Monday on a vacation of about ten days duration. His itinerary will

Samuel Martin of the local mail carrier force is back on duty after a vacation of 15 days. Peter Lee of route No. 3 will go on his vacation Thursday.

Floyd Chalfant, city editor of the Mail who is off on a two weeks' vacation left this morning for Chautuqua, where he will spend a part of his leave of absence.

Miss Harriet Johnson of Gibsonton who has been officiating as book keeper for D. R. Duval was obliged to return home Monday, being overcome with heat.

Funerl services for the young Italian Frederick Moltz who was drowned Sunday were held at the Italian, Catholic church this morning. Rev. Father Jas. Dunicle officiated. The interment took place at Calvary cemetery.

James Wagner, John Gaut and Charles Clerihue will leave Wednesday morning on their bicycles for a cross country spin in which Greensburg will be the objective point. Other places of interest will be taken in en route.

S. Y. Parr representative of the Washburn Crosby Gold Medal Flour in Charleroi and vicinity, is the happy father of a 7 pound son which was born Monday evening. Mr. Parr and wife have lately removed to Charleroi from Oil City, where Mr. Parr covered that portion of the State for the Washburn Crosby company.

The christening of Florence Laura the baby daughter of Charles Narconi who is employed in the Riva Clothing store, took place on Sunday at the Italian Catholic church. The ceremony was performed by the pastor. Miss Mary Fontani and John Labrey of Monongahela assumed the offices of Godmother and Godfather.

"Doc" Morris who will be remembered by a host of friends as a former Charleroi man was a visitor here last evening. Mr. Morris is at present a resident of Milwaukee, being engaged in the store business there. He was formerly with the J W. Berryman and Son store here for about five years, and is now visiting his sister Mrs Ney of Monessen.

H. Porter the new jeweler and watchmaker who has located at 534 Fallowfield avenue went to Pittsburg Sunday to meet his wife who had been spending a couple of months in the Catskille mountains at Kyanusha Lake. After leaving this summer resort Mrs. Porter made a visit with friends at Albany, Troy and New York thence to Pittsburg and Charleroi where they will keep house in the apartments above the store which have been remodeled.

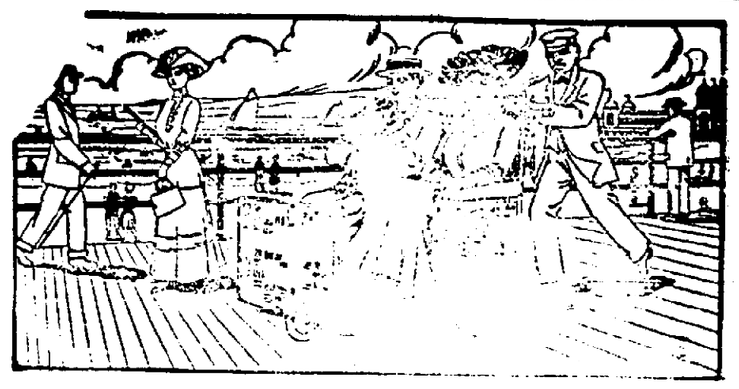
Classified Ads

LOST—Gold bracelet between Charleroi and Bentleyville campmeeting grounds. Finder return to 23 Mail office and receive reward. 6t2

LOST—Pay envelope containing $26 46. Name Pillicall Levero. Finder leave at 12 Mail office. Reward. 5t2p

WANTED—A girl for general housework. White or colored. Call at 414 Fallowfield avenue. 300tf

TO LET—Five room flat. Hall and Whitlatch, Fourth and Fallowfield. 287tf



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Charter Notice.

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Governor of Pennsylvania on the 2nd day of September, 1910, by L. P. Flickinger, Jr., L. S. Buck, Jr., and S. Walton Shappnack, under the Act of Assembly, entitled "An Act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April 29, 1874, and the supplements thereto, for the charter of an intended corporation to be called "THE SAFETY ENVELOPE & PAPER COMPANY," the charter and object of which is the manufacturing of Paper, Paper Envelopes, Paper Boxes and such other articles manufactured from paper as may be found advisable, and for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges of said Act of Assembly and the supplements thereto. HUGH E. FERGUS, 300tf Solicitor.

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Ordinance No. 48.

Prescribing the materials to be used in sidewalks and regulating the laying of the same and the width and thickness thereof on Lincoln avenue and Fourth street.

Section 1: Be it enacted by the burgess and town council of the Borough of North Charleroi, in the County of Washington and State of Pennsylvania, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, that from and after the approval of this ordinance, all sidewalks or footways laid within the streets of this borough shall be laid upon the streets hereinafter designated in the manner hereinafter prescribed and shall be located and constructed under the direction of the street committee of the Council.

Section 2: That on Lincoln avenue and Fourth street where improved under Ordinance No. 48 1 said borough of North Charleroi, sidewalks shall be constructed of sawed stone not less than two inches in thickness laid upon the foundation of bed of cinders, not less than six inches in depth or concrete laid upon a foundation or bed of cinders not less than 14 inches in depth, and said sidewalks shall be not less than five feet in width.

Section 3: That when any sidewalk or footway within the limits of the Borough upon the streets designated shall be in such condition that the necessary repairs thereto, will in the judgment of the Town Council amount to a relaying thereof, it shall be considered as coming within the provisions of this ordinance, and such sidewalks shall be ordained or relaid in accordance with the provisions hereof.

Section 4. That in case any property owner shall violate the provisions of this ordinance by laying or relaying, or causing to be laid or relaid, a sidewalk which is not in accordance with the provisions hereof, then written notice of this ordinance with copy thereof, shall be given to such property owner, his or her agent or attorney, to relay said sidewalk in accordance with the requirements of this ordinance and if after ten days from the date of the serving of said notice, the said sidewalk be not relaid in accordance with the provisions hereof, the street committee shall cause such sidewalk to be relaid in accordance with the requirements of this ordinance, and the cost of the work and the materials of such relaying with twenty (20) per centum advance thereon shall be collected from the defaulting lot owner as provided by the second section of the Act of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania entitled "An Act regulating boroughs."

Section 5: That all other ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith or supplied hereby be and the same are hereby repealed.

Enacted into an ordinance this 8th day of August, 1910.

Herman Nebeling,
President of Council.
Per Tem

Attest:—
J. W. Hagerty,
Clerk of Council.

Examined and approved by me this 8th day of August 1910.

David Shafer,
Acting Burgess.

Notice

The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Acme Brewing company will be held at its office in Bentleyville, Pa, on Tuesday, September 6, 1910, between the hours of 1 and 3 p m. for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year or any other business which might properly come up.

4tf J. P. Kosters, Sec'y.

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Great Attendance Indicated for Outing Tomorrow.

FREE LUNCH AT NOON

Multitude Will be Fed With Beef Sandwiches, Coffee and Pickles.

With a fat 1,200 pound ox, slaughtered at the abbatoir of Councilman Charles Schmeller, in the hands of the professional roasters, all is in readiness for the big picnic and outing of the Charleroi Business Men's Associations at Eldora Park tomorrow. The stores generally and many other business places will be closed for the day, and as the weather man has promised good weather for the occasion every indication points to a tremendous crowd, not only from Charleroi but from other town along the valley to whom an invitation has been extended to come and partake of the hospitality of the business people of the Magic City.

Roast ox sandwiches, coffee and pickles will be served free to the multitude at noon. Wm. Critchfield a professional ox roaster arrived today from Hermine, Westmoreland county with helpers and will serve the carcas in the best of shape It will be carved by expert meat cutters and abundant help will be available to serve the crowd.

In addition to the park amusements a program of sports will be given in the afternoon, beginning at 1:30 o'clock promptly. Handsome prizes will be awarded the winners and the events, together with the prizes are as follows:

100 yard dash free for all—Prize, handsome silver cup.

Girls' race 50 yards for girls under 14 years—First prize $1.00 second prize 50c.

Boys' race 50 yards for boys under 14 years—First prize $1.00 second prize 50c.

Business Men's Race—One entry allowed from among the business men of the valley towns. Prize—Gold medal.

Tog of War for a handsome silver cup—To be contested for by two teams consisting of six men from the Business Men's Associations of Monessen and Charleroi. Cup must be won twice to become the property of the winners.

Entries for the events must be left at the booker's stand on the ground not later than 12 o'clock noon on day of picnic.

The Pittsburg Railways company has promised cars enough to accommodate the crowds and no one need stay away on that account. A cordial invitation is extended to all to come and enjoy the hospitality of the occasion and to participate in a day of merry making.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

The 1910 taxes are now payable. A rebate of 5 per cent will be given during August and September. After those months face value will be collected until February 1, 1911, after which 5 per cent will be added. Office in First National Bank building.
6t5 J W. Mathias, Collector.

Emil Lovesel and family of Southside, Pittsburg, were guests of Mr and Mrs. Theo. Eltner Sunday and Monday.

McKees Rocks Accepts Monessen's Challenge

Volunteer Fire Companies to Try Conclusions in a Water Battle.

J. C. Nealen, president of the McKees Rocks volunteer fire department has accepted the challenge of the Monessen fire department for a "water battle" on a date to be set. He will post a forfeit of any amount and agrees to have the battle either in Monessen or McKees Rocks. Monessen's challenge was issued Friday in Carnegie, when the volunteer firemen were holding their convention,

POLICE TO ENFORCE AUTO LAWS

Joy Riders Here Will Not be Given Latitude Heretofore Tolerated.

MUST EXERCISE MORE CARE

In connection with the action of council in ordering danger signs to be posted in congested positions of the borough, Chief of Police C. W. Albright has decided to strictly enforce the State laws governing the regulations and speed limits of automobiles. So many infringements of these regulations are made every day in the community that good luck rather than careful management has prevented many serious accidents.

One of the most important regulations that Chief Albright proposes to strictly enforce is the one compelling auto drivers to pass on the opposite side of the streets when passengers are alighting from trolley cars. Heretofore, it has been the practice for many drivers to run their cars among people getting on and off street cars, compelling the pedestrians to get out of the way. Hereafter any auto driver violating this regulation in Charleroi will be promptly arrested.

Another flagrant violation is the absence of lights and license tags on both ends of the autos. Many machines are driven on the streets nightly with but perhaps one lamp in front lighted and no rear light. Some of the cars have a license tag on the front or rear, but not in both places. The law requires all machines to appear with two lights in front and one in the rear an hour after sundown, or when the street lights are turned on. The absence of the lights is one of the sources of great danger.

"We also propose to enforce the speed limit law," said Chief Albright. "We have a speeder on the police auto patrol, and are able to judge pretty accurately whether or not the speed limit is being violated. Numerous complaints are being constantly made about reckless driving on the streets, and in the interests of public safety, we propose to strictly enforce the laws from this time hence."

As the laws regulating the speed and equipment of machines are State laws, a justice has no option but to impose the penalty when violations are proven.

When Col. Alfy Stewart Says Play Ball! the Fur Will Fly

Elks and Eagles Eager for the Hospital Benefit Game at the Park at 5:30 This Evening.

Notwithstanding their prestige of previous victory, the Elks will have to go some if they defeat the Eagles in the benefit baseball game to be played at the local park this evening in aid of the Monessen-Charleroi hospital. "Honey" Wagner, manager of the Eagles, has his lineup well in hand, and the whole bunch is out for blood. The game will be called at 5:30, and it will be aggressive from the word "play ball" from Col. A. P. Stewart, the umpire.

Arrangements have been completed for the big auto parade at 5 o'clock this evening, preceding the game The parade will be headed by a band, which will render popular concerts during the game. A big lot of tickets have been sold, and the attendance promises to be large.

FRYE REUNION IS SCHEDULED

Descendents of This Prominent Family Will Meet Sept. 3 at Eldora.

A prospective event of much local interest in the tenth annual reunion of the descendants of Benjamin and Christen Frye, which will be held at Eldora Park Saturday, September 3. The reunion of this prominent family for which an organization has been effected, has been a regular event for the past nine years, and each succeeding meeting has grown in interest Charles O. Frye of Charleroi is president of the association and Mrs John S. Van Voorhis is secretary. Much important family history has been gathered, and this is being added to each year. Committees for the forthcoming event have been appointed as follows:

Table Committee—Mrs. John Cooper, Mrs. Geo. C. Boggs, Miss Tina Furnier, Mrs. James Evans, Mrs. V. D. Shannon, Mrs. Frank Jones, Mrs. Simon Wilson, Mrs. Samuel Nelson, Mrs. S. J. Richardson, Mrs. John Shanton, Mrs. Christen Hill, Mrs. Isaac Carson.

Enterainment Committee—Mrs. Ira J. Duvall, Miss Price G. Frye, Leslie Frye, Lawrence B. Frye, C. K. Frye, Frank Jones, Lynn Cooper, Miss Nannetta Shannon, Miss Nan Cooper, Miss Carson.

MUST PAY 'PHONE BILLS MONTHLY

Bell Company Will Abolish Quarterly Payments After Sept. 1.

Beginning September 1, the Bell Telephone company will inaugurate a new and improved method of billing its accounts, and has sent notice to patrons to apprise them of the change.

All bills will be rendered by mail direct from Pittsburg office on the first day of each month, and will be payable, either by check or by person at the local office indicated on each bill. Rentals will be billed monthly in advance, in place of quarterly in advance as heretofore.

Charges for toll service will be included upon the monthly bill and will cover toll service furnished up to the 20th of the preceding month. A memorandum showing the points connected, the number of messages and the charges, arranged by days, will accompany each bill upon which appears an item for toll service, and in cases where further information is desired, it may be obtained from the local offices upon request.

It is believed that this improved billing routine will result in a number of very apparent advantages to subscribers and will meet with their general approval.

Wanted

Lady bookkeeper. Apply Peoples Store, 536 Fallowfield avenue, Charleroi, Pa. 5t2

Miss Mildred Lynch and Miss Jennie Snowden of Elizabeth are visiting at the home of their uncle, John Jenkins, Esq., of Fallowfield avenue.

FINDS DEARTH IN SCHOOL MA'AMS

Not Enough Instructors in County to Supply all the Districts.

Vacancies in schools of Washington county are becoming serious. With the opening session but a few days distant, several schools are still without teachers and none available seem to be in sight.

County Superintendent Crumrine has received urgent letters from various boards of directors asking him to recommend suitable teachers. Prof. Crumrine has also received a communication from Oakdale, Allegheny county asking him to recommend a principal for the Oakdale school. The Allegheny county district has been unable to secure a man and is worried over the outcome with the opening of school so close upon them. The position pays $1,000 for a term of nine months.

Two vacancies still exist in West Bethlehem township. One at the Nichol school and the other in the advanced grade of the Scenery Hill positon pays $60 per month.

Despite the fact that over 300 of the 432 applicants for teachers' provisional certificates have been successful, the greatly increased number of schools makes even this large number inadequate and puts several boards of directors in a quandry as to where they will secure teachers.

HAS BENCH WARRANT TO FETCH WARD

Detective McCleary Awaits Governor's Requisition at Asbury Park.

Late yesterday afternoon Detective William McCleary with a bench warrant from this county for Frederick W. Ward reached Asbury Park N. J., where Ward is held in the city jail following his arrest Sunday afternoon as a fugitive from justice.

Leaving Pittsburg at 8 o'clock yesterday morning the county detective went direct to Harrisburg, where he left his requisition papers for the signature of Governor Stuart and hurried on to the New Jersey seaside resort to show his bench warrant and hold the convicted real estate promoter until the arrival of the warrant from the Governor of New Jersey, giving him power to bring the prisoner back to Washington county.

It is believed the formalities connected with the signing of the necessary documents will be completed within a short time and the county detective and his prisoner be on their way back to Washington within the next few days.

Club Meets Thursday

The ladies' 500 club, which has been holding its meetings on Fridays will meet Thursday of this week instead of the usual date. The meeting will be held at the Elks' club house.

Notice

A cow strayed on my farm on the Monongahela road. Party owning same will please call and take charge or she will be disposed of according to law. Peter McCarty. 6t2p

WANTED—Quiet boarding place. Address 546 Mail office. 6t2

TRAVELING MEN SAY TENER'S CANDIDACY IS MOST POPULAR

High School Alumni to Gambol on the Green

Members Decide to Hold Basket Picnic at Eldora Next Thursday.

The picnic of the Alumni Association of the Charleroi High school will be held at Eldora Park on Thursday afternoon and evening of this week. Notice to this effect have been mailed to all members of the association outside of Charleroi but no notice will be mailed to members here. All members of the Association with their families are expected to attend and are requested to bring well filled baskets.

TELLS HOW TO PROTECT ORCHARDS

State Inspector in Community Giving Talks and Demonstrations.

SHOWS INSECTS AND PESTS

Cryus T. Fox, State orchard inspector, is in this vicinity, inpecting orchard and giving instruction as to the proper care of fruit trees and also the fighting of insects which are injurious to the trees and fruits. This forenoon Mr. Fox inspected the orchards of John G. Sampson, one mile from Eldora on the Charleroi trolley and three miles southeast of Monongahela and Isaac S. Sprowls one mile from Lockview on the Charleroi trolley.

This afternoon he is inspecting the orchards of John H. Gregg, one mile from Roscoe terminus of Charleroi trolley. He will spend the night with the Dorsey brothers, fruit growers, two miles west of West Brownsville and will lecture in the orchard there at 8 o'clock tomorrow morning.

After a general talk on fruit culture at the farm of I. J. W. Cleveland of Beallsville Inspector Fox will depart for Allegheny county to continue his lecturing tour. A number of farmers and others interested in fruit culture are attending the lectures and demontrations in this community.

Committee Meets This Evening

The reception committee of the Business Men's Picnic will hold a meeting this evening at 7 o'clock at the rooms of the association in the Kirk and Clark building. All members of the committee are requested to be present.

Rev. W D. Fries, Chairman.

Ladies Aid Picnic Today

The Hebrew Ladies' Aid of the valley are holding a picnic at Eldora Park today. Delegations are present from all of the towns along the valley and with special attractions in addition to the park amusements, all are having a pleasant outing.

Present Indications Point to His Election by Increased Majority.

CONCEDED BY OPPOSITION

Prohibition Canvass Shows Charleroi Man to be Easy Winner.

Although the Republican campaign will not formally open until Saturday, September 3, when Congressman John K. Tener will begin his Gubernatorial campaign with a big rally in Charleroi, much interest is being manifested throughout the State. This is evidenced by the reports brought in by traveling men, who are in a position to feel the public pulse and to more accurately size up the situation by reason of their close association with the business interests of the State.

"In this State the Republican party will win without a contest," said a prominent commercial representative yesterday, whose route takes him all over the State. "That is, there will be the usual campaign, but the Republicans will roll up the same large majorities. There isn't anything to it. Should the majorities fall off slightly, it will be because the voters take it for granted that everything is one-sided, and say to themselves, 'What's the use?' and remain away from the polls."

A prominent Prohibitionist who has had been associated with the State organization of that party admitted to a Charleroi man a few days ago that Tener was sure to be elected. He stated that he had made a careful canvass of all the counties of the State in the interests of the Prohibition ticket, but could discover no defections from the Republican party. In the contrary he stated, Mr. Tener's candidacy was arousing a degree of enthusiasm that augured badly for any encouragement for the opposition.

Inquiry among the traveling men also elicits the information that Berry, the Keystone candidate, will not cut any considerable figure in the campaign. Four years ago, when the Democrats and the Lincoln Republicans effected a fusion and nominated Lewis Emery, a Republican, they did not come anywhere near winning out, the general belief is that with the Republican a party more united and freer from attack than it has been at any time during the past fifty years, and the opposition divide, the efforts of the Keystone movement will not make a ripple in the campaign.

HOT DAYS INDUCE PACKET TRAVEL

Passenger and freight traffic for the upper Monongahela is good and the packets I. C. Woodward and Bessie Smith appear to have all they can do to handle it. Live stock such as horses and mules have been much in evidence recently in the upper river shipments, many of them being for use in the mines.

The Packet Bessie Smith was out on Sunday with her "upper outing" which has become very popular among city people who have no other way to enjoy the comforts of an outing on the water. These trips are usually made as far as Charleroi or California, returning early in the evening. They will be continued as long as the weather conditions are favorable.

J. K. Tener, Pres. S. A. Walton, Vice Pres. R. H. Rush, Cashier.

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Aug. 16 In American History.

1777—General Nicholas Herkimer, hero of the battle of Oriskany, died; born about 1715. Battle of Bennington, Vt.

1825—Charles Cotesworth Pinckney, American soldier and statesman, author of the immortal phrase, "Millions for defense, but not one cent for tribute," died in Charleston; born 1746.

1900—John James Ingalls, distinguished orator and ex-United States senator from Kansas, died; born 1833.

1903—Noah Brooks, well known author, died; born 1830.

1908—J. W. A. MacDonald, known as America's oldest sculptor, died at Yonkers, N. Y.; born 1824.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

(From noon today to noon tomorrow.) Sun sets 6.53, rises 5:08; moon sets 1:16 a. m. Halley's comet in constellation Leo, setting at 7.25 p. m.

The Picnic

With an ox-roast as an attraction, and a broader organization than heretofore, what has been known as the Merchants' Picnic in past years will be held tomorrow at Eldora Park under the title of the Business Men's Picnic. This should insure a much greater attendance than in the past and redouble the interest of this popular neighborly event.

While in past years the Merchants Picnic has been a most enjoyable event, all for whom it was intended did not enter into the spirit of the occasion. The primary object was for all the business people to take a day off suspend the cares of business, get acquainted with one another and accumulate fresh vigor and initiation by a day spent in the open. By widening the scope of the association more business interests are brought into closer relations with a corresponding county of interests. The opportunity is a splendid one for a day of enjoyment and cementng the bonds of good fellowship, and all who can should take advantage of the occasion

Enforce the Law

The decision of the local chief of police to strictly enforce the laws regulating the equipment, speed and conduct of automobile drivers should receive the support and commendation of all law abiding citizens. Without these regulations danger to life and limb is imminent on the streets at all times, and it was in the interest of public safety that the laws were enacted. Without them there would be no protection at all from reckless and careless driving.

When it is considered that an automobile is difficult to handle and is more complicated in ways than a locomotive steam engine, the wisdom of the regulations will be readily comprehended. No railroad company would permit a novice to run one of its engines, even though he has a clear track and less dangerous conditions than the average auto driver. Before a railroad engineer is entrusted to drive a locomotive he must serve a long apprenticeship as brakeman and fireman, be an expert in mechanics and thoroughly able to master every detail and meet every emergency that may arise in the mechanism of the machine with which he is entrusted. No engineer is ever sent out over a road alone without which he is familiar, and he must know every foot of the way, as well as observe numerous signals along the route.

On the other hand a novice, without the slightest knowledge of or experience in mechanics, may purchase an auto as ponderous almost, as a locomotive, and start to run in on crowded streets and dangerous highways. That there are not more fatalities seems to be due to the special interposition of Providence. As a matter of course regulation is necessary and those who uphold the officers in the enforcement of the law will be performing the best kind of public service.

Our Gum-Chewing Industry

Twenty-nine students and three professors of the University of Commerce, in Cologne, heartily welcome to our city, find the gum-chewing habit looming large among the wonders of America, says the New York World. We cannot be surprised at this, having been impressed ourselves by the omnipresent nickle-in-the slot gum machine, the inexhaustable sticks of chewing gum in jars and piles on candy store and drug store counters, the jaws almost unanimously in activity in subway jams, trolley car crushes and crowds at large.

Baseball players chew gum to keep off thirst, children and matinee girls chew it because it tastes sweet, many person chew in the belief that they are aiding their digestion, but most people chew because they have got the habit. Probably a final analysis would reveal an intimate connection between nerves and habitual gum chewing.

There have been attempts to establish gum in Europe. The results are as yet inconsiderable. However, the demand right here in the United States calls for the manufacture of 3,0 0,000,000 pieces of gum per year and gives prosperity to a very healthy eleven year-old trust If one doctor says gum-chewing is harmless another declares that it overworks the salivary glands But to the stranger within our gates the wonder of the busy jaws remain.

ELECTRIC SPARKS

Many a man enjoys a quiet smoke because of the brand of cigars he buys.

She—I thought you were well off before we were married.

He—I was, but I didn't know it.

Some men get most enjoyable vacations when their wives take theirs.

Texas is said to be the best State in the union for aviators, because it has 237 counties in which to fall.

St Peter, at the Golden Gate, to first applicant of a bunch of new arrivals—Well, what are your qualifications?

Applicant—I've been married.

St. Peter—Enter, and take a seat among the martyrs of the fourth degree.

Second appliant, who has overheard the conversation—Gracious Saint, I've been married twice.

St. Peter—Get out! This is a place for unfortunates. Fools are not admitted.

The children who are obliged to wait until the second table when the minister is invited to supper appreciate the beauty of the Scriptural injunction, "And the last shall be first."

Three small boys have demonstrated to Charleroi people that it is not necessary to own an auto to go joy riding.

Some people measure their vacation by the number of postcards they send out.

When a man wants a drink of whisky so badly that's he's willing to kill a man or two in order to get it, he should be committed at once to the Keeley cure.

SHOOTS AT ESCORT, WOUNDS A WOMAN

Negro Aims at White Man and Hits Woman Walking With Him.

Emery Rouss a negro miner of Venetia a mining town near Canonsburg Sunday night shot and seriously wounded Mrs. Anna Gilmore aged 40 years a white woman of Nottingham township Washington county. The shooting took place at Venetia.

The negro was arrested after a long chase and is now in jail and Mrs. Gilmore is in the hospital at Washington

Thomas Rodgers a white man and a miner employed at Venetia and Mrs. Gilmore were walking along the street The negro it is reported walked in back of Rodgers and said: "You might as well die now as any other time."

Rodgers turned and the negro drew a revolver and began to shoot. The third shot struck Mrs. Gilmore in the abdomen.

Rodgers tried to take the revolver away from the negro but was unable to do so. After wounding Mrs. Gilmore the negro fired three more shots at Rodgers but failed to hit him.

ECHINO PAYS COSTS IN POWDER CASE

Jury Lets Him Down Easy for Shipping Explosive in Suit Case

The August term of criminal court is now in session at the county seat. It was convened yesterday afternoon before Judge Taylor and as soon as jury was challenged in the first case called a case was taken up before Judge McIlvaine.

One of the first cases called yesterday was that of the Commonwealth against William Snyder and Steve Echino who were charged with shipping explosives by express to Charleroi It appears that Echino agreed to take some powder for Snyder from Manor station to Charleroi. Echino placed it in a suit case and shipped it by express. The suit case leaked out some of the powder and it was opened and the explosive found. By agreement the jury as instructed to return a verdict of not guilty but place the costs on Echino who agreed to the proposition

GAVE 33 YEARS TO ONE COMPANY

Charleroi Man Serves That Length of Time as Department Foreman.

After serving continuously for 33 years in the employ of the Hussy-Binns Shovel company, George Bailey, proprietor of the Casino bowling alleys on McKean avenue, severed his connection with that firm on Monday, which marked the anniversary of his first employment. During his entire service Mr. Bailey filled the position of foreman of the polishing department. Thirteen of the 33 years were spent with the firm in Pittsburg, and when the plant was moved to Charleroi 20 years ago Mr. Bailey came with it, and continued in the same responsible position. Some time ago he acquired the Casino pool rooms, which were later transformed into bowling alleys. Desiring to devote his entire attention to this business Mr. Bailey decided to retire from the factory, and severed his connection on the 33rd anniversary of his employment.

When You "See Stars."

The man who when struck violently on the head says he "saw stars" is not far from telling the truth. The fact is that there is a phosphorescent power in the eye which does not attract a person's attention under ordinary conditions, but which is distributed and reveals itself whenever the head gets a sudden shock and sometimes even in the act of sneezing. A blow on the head results in a pressure of the blood vessels upon the retina, causing either total darkness or a faint blue light which floats before the eyes, and it is in this faint blue light the imagination discerns the thousands of fantastic forms and figures that by general acceptance [illegible] while the astronomical display so frequently mentioned may be said to be entirely a creature of the imagination, there is at least some foundation for the idea The true nature of the sensation is never very apparent, even to the victim, for the simple reason that it is invariably experienced under circumstances which render a searching introspective investigation out of the question.

A CHEERFUL OUTLOOK.

Making It Pleasant For the Studious Traveler.

An English tourist traveling on foot through one of our mountainous regions, studying the people, asked a man whom he met to direct him to a certain cabin at which he had been advised to stay overnight. "Going thar?" said the man "Well, Tom's a first rater, take him just right, but he's mighty queer."

"What do you mean?" asked the traveler.

"Well, it's like this," and the man looked at the stranger in a calm, impersonal way, "He'll be setting outside most probably, and he'll see you coming He'll take a good look at you and if you don't suit him he may set the dog on you

"If he don't and you get to talking with him and say anything he don't just like he may throw you down and tromp on you But if you're too careful in your talk, on the other hand he's liable to take you for a spy and use his gun first and listen to explanations afterward.

"But it's no use trying to get by without stopping," concluded the man, with outdoor [illegible] was opening up to the stranger, "If you was to undertake that 'twould be all up with you for he'd think you was proud and biggerty.

"If you want to come out of the mountain whole, don't go past Tom's cabin without stopping, whatever you do!"—Youth's Companion.

WANTED NO LAWYER.

It Was a Simple Matter to Satisfy the Accused

"Jed Blake, stand at the bar" ordered the judge in a rural Alabama court

A big, brawny negro ambled up to be arraigned for murder

"Jed," began the judge "you are charged with the gravest crime known to the law that of taking the life of a fellow man One of the forms of punishment for murder is death Have you made any arrangements for your defense in this case, Jed?"

"No, suh judge I ain' done nuthin'"

"Have you a lawyer, Jed?"

"No, suh, judge I ain' got no lawyer I ain' got nuthin', judge."

"Well, Jed," said the judge, showing a little impatience, "have you talked to anybody about this case?"

"I talked to de sheriff some dat night when he come after me, judge, but you knows dat didn't do no good"

"For your information, Jed, I will state that it is within the province of this court to appoint counsel to any defendant who has none I am now ready to appoint you a lawyer Do you want one?"

"No, judge, I don't want nuthin' replied Jed rather dolefully

"See here," snapped the judge, "I won't have any more of this foolishness. You say you don't want any lawyer. Well then what do you intend to do about this case?"

"Well, I tells you, judge, I ain' 'tendin' to do nuthin'. Ef it's jes' de same to you, judge, as far as I's concerned I's willin' to let do whole matter drop right here"—Everybody's

THE MONEY QUESTION.

An Inquisitive Youngster and an Ingenious Father.

"Papa," began Gunston junior, "when the government of the United States began to coin gold and silver money it was necessary to buy the gold and silver, wasn't it?"

"Yes, my son," replied Gunston senior rather cautiously.

"Of course, papa," resumed the youngster, "you'll be able to tell me where the government got the money to buy the gold and silver."

"Why—er—of course," stammered Gunston senior as he put down the paper and gazed thoughtfully at the boy "Now, let me understand you. The government wanted to coin money, and in order to do so it was necessary to purchase gold and silver. You want to know where the government got the money to buy the gold and silver?"

"That's right," chuckled Gunston junior gleefully, and a great joy filled his being as he thought of his all important sire struggling with the simple question.

"Why, sonny, the government simply issued dollar bills and bought gold and silver with them. Anything else?"

"Yes," said Gunston junior. "Where did the government get money to buy paper for the dollar bills?"—Harper's Weekly.

An Ugly Looking Lizard.

Among the lizards of Australia the "thorny devil" (Moloch horridus) is unrivaled in its ugliness. From the tip of its nose to the end of its tail this lizard is covered with tubercles and spines, but in spite of its dangerous appearance it is quite harmless It measures about seven inches in length. It has a flat body a small head and a cylindrical tail It frequents sandy places, feeds largely on ants and is more or less diurnal in habits. Its powerful limbs are furnished with strong claws, which it uses in digging the sand, in which it often lies wholly or partially buried.

Defined.

"What is the difference between firmness and obstinacy?" asked a young lady of her lover.

"Firmness," was his gallant reply "is a noble characteristic of women obstinacy [illegible] men!"

Her Eyes Opened.

Scribbler—She isn't writing any more articles on how to manage a husband. Scrawler—No; she knows better now. She's married.—Philadelphia Record.

ORIENTAL SERVANTS.

All Around Ability of the Indispensable "Boy" In India.

In these days of loud wailing about the haughty domestic, exorbitant wages and small returns it is soothing to recall the efficiency and submissive service of the oriental servant

In India the indispensable "boy" does everything—"boy" being a generic name regardless of age or native dignity—receiving in remuneration the equivalent of $12 to $14 a month at the most. He buys your railroad tickets, checks your luggage, settles the clamors of luggage coolies, gives your tips and shoos away the hordes of beggars, telegraphs to hotels for your rooms and takes care of them when you get there, makes the bed brings the afternoon tea, stands behind your chair at table and serves you, brings your account when you leave and wrangles for you over its inevitable extortions.

At the dak bungalows he forages for your meals and, if necessary cooks them He produces washmen, sewing men and all sorts of dealers in everything on demand He makes up your bed on sleeping cars and replenishes [illegible] He runs your errands, cleans your boots and hats darns your stockings and mends your clothes

When you walk abroad, he attends you and directs you to the bazaars where you will be robbed least, receiving his commission later from an appreciative proprietor.

For every rupee intrusted to him for general expenditure he renders an account, and though he doubtless robs you greatly he does not let others do it (and it is distinctly advantageous to be robbed by one person rather than a score).

He is silent and noiseless, salaams whenever you speak to him and never enters your presence with his shoes on or his turban off

And finally his multifarious day ended, he wraps himself in his shawl and sleeps across your threshold.—New York Tribune

UNCONSCIOUS WORRY.

Born of the Habit of Taking Things Too Seriously.

A great many people worry unconsciously, says O. S. Marden in Success Magazine They don't understand why they are so tired in the morning, why their sleep was so disturbed and troubled

This mental disturbance is often caused by the habit of taking things too seriously, carrying too great a weight of responsibility Everywhere we see people who take life too seriously Most of us are like the motor man who not only starts and stops the car and tries to keep from running over people but also feels tremendous anxiety and responsibility about the motive power.

One of the most helpful lessons life can impart is that which shows us how to do our work as well as it can be done and then let principle take care of the result. How often have we been amazed to find things come out much better than we anticipated; to find that the great unseen power that governs our lives through a wilderness of trial and tribulation into the open has guided our life ship through the fogs of difficulties and of sorrow through storms of hardships and losses, safely into port.

The pilot does not lose heart when he cannot see his way. He turns to that mysterious compass which sees as plainly in the fog and guides as faithfully in the tempests as when the sea is like glass We are in touch with a power greater than any compass greater than any piles, a power that can extricate us from the most desperate situation

TUNING A PIANO.

A Professional's Experience With Irritable Von Bulow.

"Piano tuners are for the most part graduated from piano factories," says one of them. "While the piano tuner is required to know every part in the makeup of a piano, he is not necessarily a piano repairer. Nor can the average piano maker or repairer tune a piano. There are hundreds of expert makers and repairers of pianos who wouldn't be able to tell one tune from another.

"The piano tuner is born, not made. His acute sense of the vibrations of sound is given to him at his birth, and the man who hasn't got this sense can't become a piano tuner.

"Quite a number of years ago, when Hans von Bulow was in America, I tuned the piano upon which he played. He wouldn't allow the instrument to be tuned in the wareroom, one of his whims being that even a short removal of a piano knocks it all out of tune—something in that theory at that. So I tuned it upon the platform upon which he was to perform. He stood over me all the time, letting out agonized whoops and German cuss words until I couldn't help but laugh in his face.

"Finally, when I had the piano almost tuned, he gave a few more shrieks and, grabbing the wrench, began doing the job all over again. I let him go ahead, and inside of three minutes he had the piano so hopelessly out of tune that it took me three hours to get it into shape again. Herr von Bulow had to pay double for this little exhibition of temper."—Spokane Sportsman Review.

Answered.

Borleigh—Ha, ha, old man! Nailing down a carpet, are you? Jones (who has just struck his thumb)—No, you fool! The carpet was here all the time I'm just putting the floor under it!—Chicago News.

YOUR KIDNEYS NEED CLEANING

Every Person, Healthy or Unhealthy, Ought to Give the Kidneys a Thorough Cleaning Right Now

You clean your teeth daily. You wouldn't think of doing otherwise and yet the teeth are not one-tenth so important to health, strength and a long life as the kidneys

Do you know that the kidneys are little strainers or fine sieves, through which every drop of blood in the body passes again and again?

Do you know that when the blood passes through the kidneys these little sieves strain all the impure matter from the blood and pass it out of the body by way of the bladder?

Well, all this is so, as any physician will tell you, and this being the case, doesn't it stand to reason that these little strainers in the kidneys become clogged with impurities?

And when the kidneys become clogged they are unable to strain the impure matter from the blood, and it stays in the blood and causes diseases in various parts of the body. Take rheumatism for instance, this terrible disease is caused by uric acid in the blood and uric acid gets into the blood only when the kidneys are clogged up and are unable to properly strain the impurities.

An ounce of prevention is worth a ton of cure when the kidneys are concerned. It's almost as easy to clean out clogged kidneys as to clean your teeth.

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Notice of Application for Charter

Notice is hereby given that application will be made by J. W. Schneider, S. G. Fulton and Charles Wonsettler to the Governor of Pennsylvania on Monday, Sept. 12, 1910, under the Act of Assembly approved April 29, 1874, P. L. 73, entitled "An Act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," and its supplements, for a charter for a proposed corporation to be called "Marianna and Scenery Hill Telephone Company," the character and object of which is the construction, maintaining and operation of telephone and telegraph lines, buying and leasing the same, for the private use of individuals, firms, corporations; the operation of telephone exchanges and the furnishing of facilities for communication by means of the transmission of electricity over or through wires, and doing a general telephone and telegraph business by such means; and for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges of said Act of Assembly and supplements thereto.

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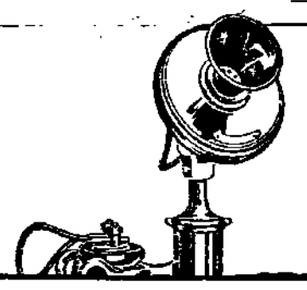

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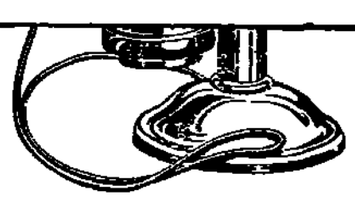

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NEW SEASON ON BRYAN ROCK

Candidate Bryan Wants Nebraska's Decaying Statesman to Come to Pennsylvania

Berry Is Eager For Enthusiasm While His Colleague of Wide Experience and Many Defeats Insists Upon Getting Votes.

The Keystone party in Pennsylvania is threatened with destruction on the rocks of Bryanism. The Keystone party, it must be understood, is composed of a little band of "holier than thou" patriots who are out for any old office they may get. W. H. Berry who borrowed money from Colonel J. M. Guffey when the colonel was in affluence and deserted him without returning the cash when he was in financial distress, is the fantastic and sometimes furious head of the Keystone aggregation. D. Clarence Gibbony, who has the record for office hunting in Philadelphia and who enjoys the distinction of having been defeated oftener than any other man in the Keystone State, is the chief cook and bottle washer on the Keystone party's craft. The other members of the crew either are unknown or are in hiding lest their identity might alarm any stray passengers otherwise willing to go to sea with them. William Jennings Bryan has indicated his desire to come into Pennsylvania to help out his friend and advocate. Mr. Berry, and strange to say, Mr. Berry is anxious to have Mr. Bryan come here. Mr. Gibbony wants any and all help the Bryan sentiment might give him, but he refuses absolutely to agree to the coming of Bryan in person and upon that contention the Keystone party's candidates for Governor and Lieutenant Governor respectively have split and apparently split for good. Mr. Berry is not so much of a politician as is Gibbony. Mr. Berry has theories in abundance. He constantly carries an overload of isms and freak ideas about the country's ailments and he is sublimely confident that he personally is the only healthy feature in the country's development. He is determined to destroy everything reactionary fashioned after himself and he believes that Mr. Bryan could aid materially in his plan of destruction. Gibbony would prefer an office to a surgical operation which might eliminate everything and everybody but Berry. Berry contends that Bryan would stir up some real enthusiasm for the Keystone party and its candidates. Gibbony accepts this contention but insists that while Bryan has a distinct patent on the creation of enthusiasm he is not much of a vote getter and Gibbony prefers the votes. It is known that Gibbony hesitated about accepting a seat upon the Keystone party's band wagon. He is not much of a sentimentalist. He has had large experience and he knows, just as well as any man in the State that large gobs of money are necessary for campaigns and until the money was raised and shown to him he balked at the second place on the ticket. The display of the cash and the acceptance of his nomination were accomplished at one and the same time. Berry of course, refused to consider that a corruption fund would be necessary with him at the head of the ticket, but Gibbony, having had wide experience, refused to see politics from that egotistical view point. Of course there was some difficulty in digging up a financial angel, but he was dug up and Gibbony took his place in line for another defeat. In justice to Gibbony it should be said that he is going to the slaughter with slow and reluctant feet. In fact he is so slow and reluctant that he will have none of Bryan personally in his campaign and the decaying statesman from Nebraska must be told sooner or later to keep off the Keystone party's grass in Pennsylvania. This of course will be heart breaking to both Bryan and Berry but Gibbony is holding both purse strings in this little enterprise of the "better than all others" and he is making the rules for the first trip of the Keystone party's craft through the fog of selfish ambitions.

Mr. Berry has not manifested any disposition to conceal his admiration for Mr. Bryan. In fact Mr. Berry is proud of Bryan and the Bryan theories. Since his desertion of Colonel Guffey, who was decidedly useful when he had vast wealth, Mr Berry has insisted upon being regarded as the Bryan leader in Pennsylvania. He may yet attack the discipline of the Keystone party just as he has in the past assaulted discipline in the Democratic and Prohibition parties and bring Mr. Bryan into the fight in the State regardless of the wishes of his new party associates but if he does Gibbony is absolutely certain to shut off the cash and only make the disaster greater. Bryan and his ghosts are certainly troublesome in politics these days.

The Alert Man.

"Calmness is a fine trait," said Mr. Bliffy, "but does it always get there? You take the case of two men standing up in a car holding on to straps, both the same age, but one of them quiet and the other quick, and now let the man they are standing in front of get up to leave the car at a station, and suppose these two men are both at exactly the same distance from the seat, each with the same chance as the other for seizing it, which would get that seat? Would it be the calm, cool man who moved deliberately and always with some thought for others, or would it be the ever alert man, quick to move and always on the lookout, not caring a continental for what anybody thinks and always ready to jump in any seat he can nab? Why, while the calm man is thinking it over about what he shall do and beginning to turn that way the alert man is in the seat. I certainly do admire the calm, tranquil man and his good manners, but it is the man ever on the alert that gets the seat in the car—and other things."—New York Sun.

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LOCAL MENTION

Interesting News Items Condensed for Busy Readers.

H. B. Staver was a Pittsburg visitor over Sunday.

Mrs. Leslie Campbell spent Sunday with Monongahela friends.

H. H. Schwilar of Smithport is in town today looking up business interests.

Mrs. J. W. Mathias and son Jack are visiting friends at New Kensington.

Misses Maude and Jessie Spidel have returned from a sojourn of several weeks at Bedford.

Miss Norma Bosson who was visiting with relations at Woodsfield, Ohio has returned home.

Theo. Elstner, and family returned from a two weeks' outing at Astabula harbor last week.

C. F. Thompson has returned from a pleasure trip to Duluth and other points along the great lakes.

Oscar Carson of J. H. Bowers hardware store spent Sunday at the farm of his parents at Lover.

J. D. Berryman was an interested specatator of the State Exhibition of spraying on the Spowi farm today.

consist of a visit in Pittsburg and vicinity and thence to Buffalo and Niagara Falls and other points of interest in New York State.

D. A. Smith, the genial assistant clerk at the Wilbur Hotel, started Monday on a vacation of about ten days duration. His itinerary will

Samuel Martin of the local mail carrier force is back on duty after a vacation of 15 days. Peter Lee of route No. 3 will go on his vacation Thursday.

Floyd Chalfant, city editor of the Mail who is off on a two weeks' vacation left this morning for Chautuqua, where he will spend a part of his leave of absence.

Miss Harriet Johnson of Gibsonton who has been officiating as book keeper for D. R. Duval was obliged to return home Monday, being overcome with heat.

Funerl services for the young Italian Frederick Moltz who was drowned Sunday were held at the Italian, Catholic church this morning. Rev. Father Jas. Dunicle officiated. The interment took place at Calvary cemetery.

James Wagner, John Gaut and Charles Clerihue will leave Wednesday morning on their bicycles for a cross country spin in which Greensburg will be the objective point. Other places of interest will be taken in en route.

S. Y. Parr representative of the Washburn Crosby Gold Medal Flour in Charleroi and vicinity, is the happy father of a 7 pound son which was born Monday evening. Mr. Parr and wife have lately removed to Charleroi from Oil City, where Mr. Parr covered that portion of the State for the Washburn Crosby company.

The christening of Florence Laura the baby daughter of Charles Narconi who is employed in the Riva Clothing store, took place on Sunday at the Italian Catholic church. The ceremony was performed by the pastor. Miss Mary Fontani and John Labrey of Monongahela assumed the offices of Godmother and Godfather.

"Doc" Morris who will be remembered by a host of friends as a former Charleroi man was a visitor here last evening. Mr. Morris is at present a resident of Milwaukee, being engaged in the store business there. He was formerly with the J. W. Berryman and Son store here for about five years, and is now visiting his sister Mrs Ney of Monessen.

H. Porter the new jeweler and watchmaker who has located at 534 Fallowfield avenue went to Pittsburg Sunday to meet his wife who had been spending a couple of months in the Catskille mountains at Kyamusha Lake. After leaving this summer resort Mrs. Porter made a visit with friends at Albany, Troy and New York thence to Pittsburg and Charleroi where they will keep house in the apartments above the store which have been remodeled.

Classified Ads

LOST—Gold bracelet between Charleroi and Bentleyville campmeeting grounds. Finder return to 23 Mail office and receive reward. 6t2

LOST—Pay envelope containing $26 46. Name Pillicall Levero. Finder leave at 12 Mail office. Reward. 5t2p

WANTED—A girl for general housework. White or colored. Call at 414 Fallowfield avenue. 300tf

TO LET—Five room flat. Hall and Whitlatch, Fourth and Fallowfield. 287tf

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August 25, and September 8, 1910

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Charter Notice.

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Governor of Pennsylvania on the 2nd day of September, 1910, by L. P. Flickinger, Jr., I. S. Jack, Jr., and S. Walton Saarnack, under the Act of Assembly, entitled "An Act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April 29, 1874, and the supplements thereto, for the charter of an intended corporation to be called "THE SAFETY ENVELOPE & PAPER COMPANY", the charter and object of which is the manufacturing of Paper, Paper Envelopes, Paper Boxes and such other articles manufactured from paper as may be found advisable, and for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges of said Act of Assembly and the supplements thereto.

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Ordinance No. 48.

Prescribing the materials to be used in sidewalks and regulating the laying of the same and the width and thickness thereof on Lincoln avenue and Fourth street.

Section 1: Be it enacted by the burgess and town council of the Borough of North Charleroi, in the County of Washington and State of Pennsylvania, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, that from and after the approval of this ordinance, all sidewalks or footways laid within the streets of this borough shall be laid upon the streets hereinafter designated in the manner hereinafter prescribed and shall be located and constructed under the direction of the street committee of the Council.

Section 2: That on Lincoln avenue and Fourth street where improved under Ordinance No. 48 i said borough of North Charleroi, sidewalks shall be constructed of sawed stone not less than two inches in thickness laid upon the foundation of bed of cinders, not less than six inches in depth, or concrete laid upon a foundation or bed of cinders not less than 14 inches in depth, and said sidewalks shall be not less than five feet in width.

Section 3: That when any sidewalk or footway within the limits of the Borough upon the streets designated shall be in such condition that the necessary repairs thereto, will in the judgment of the Town Council amount to a relaying thereof, it shall be considered as coming within the provisions of this ordinance, and such sidewalks shall be ordained or relaid in accordance with the provisions hereof.

Section 4. That in case any property owner shall violate the provisions of this ordinance by laying or relaying, or causing to be laid or relaid, a sidewalk which is not in accordance with the provisions hereof, then written notice of this ordinance with copy thereof, shall be given to such property owner, his or her agent or attorney, to relay said sidewalk in accordance with the requirements of this ordinance and if after ten days from the date of the serving of said notice, the said sidewalk be not relaid in accordance with the provisions hereof, the street committee shall cause such sidewalk to be relaid in accordance with the requirements of this ordinance, and the cost of the work and the materials of such relaying with twenty (20) per centum advance thereon shall be collected from the defaulting lot owner as provided by the second section of the Act of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania entitled "An Act regulating boroughs."

Section 5: That all other ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith or supplied hereby be and the same are hereby repealed.

Enacted into an ordinance this 8th day of August, 1910.

Herman Nebeling,
President of Council.
Per Tem

Attest:—
J. W. Hagerty,
Clerk of Council.

Examined and approved by me this 8th day of August 1910.

David Shafer,
Acting Burgess.

Notice

The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Acme Brewing company will be held at its office in Bentleyville, Pa., on Tuesday, September 6, 1910, between the hours of 1 and 3 p. m. for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year or any other business which might properly come up.

4tf J. P. Kostera, Sec'y.